Point, Line, & Plane
Abstraction

Abstraction is the act of considering something as a general quality or characteristic, apart from concrete realities, specific objects, or actual instances.
Abstraction

“Abstraction is simplification towards a more intense and distilled meaning.”

– Donis A. Dondis

Simplification of an image can be achieved through reducing it into basic art elements.
Abstraction through Point, Line, & Plane

Abstracting this image into simple point, line and plane can change an images like this...
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...into this
Abstraction through Point

A point is a marker of location, indivisible unit, and a focal point.
Abstraction through Point

Interval of points can articulate form and motion.
Abstraction through Point

Scale of points can articulate dimension.
Abstraction through Point

Points can be used to define the image.
Abstraction through Point

In an abstract way.
Abstraction through Line

Line is a point in motion, it expresses direction, continuity and connection.
Abstraction through Line

Direction of line can indicate movement.
Abstraction through Line

Thickness of line can articulate dimension and weight.
Abstraction through Line

Lines can be used to define motion of the image.
Abstraction through Line

In an abstract way.
Abstraction through Plane

A plane is a closed line that has been filled.
Abstraction through Plane

Planes can be used to define dimension
Abstraction through Plane

Interval in planes can be to articulate motion.
Abstraction through Plane

Planes can be used to define structure of the image.
Abstraction through Plane

In an abstract way
Combining Point, Line, & Plane

Point, line, & plane effectively combined can define the structure, and movement of an image in an abstract way.